

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF:)
KUHL et al.)
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Serial No.: to be determined)
Filed: to be determined)
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Priority Filing Date: September 03, 2003)
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For: METHOD AND DEVICE FOR ADJUSTING)
THE SELECTING OUT OF WINNOWINGS)

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Preliminary Amendment 'A'

Dear Sirs:

Enclosed is a Preliminary Amendment for the application referenced above. Please
amend the application as follows: